## **FISCAL NOTE**

TO: Chief Clerk of the Senate

Chief Clerk of the House

FROM: James A. Davenport, Executive Director

DATE: February 7, 1996

SUBJECT: **SB 2347 - HB 2186** 

This bill, if enacted, will increase the penalty for failing to properly endorse, deliver or possess certificates of title from a Class C to a Class B misdemeanor. The maximum penalty for a Class C misdemeanor is 30 days and the maximum penalty for a Class B misdemeanor is 6 months.

The fiscal impact of this bill is estimated to be minimal to state government.

The fiscal impact is estimated to increase local government expenditures for incarcerating persons convicted of this offense. The amount of increase cannot be determined but is estimated to be not significant.

The fiscal impact is also estimated to increase local revenues because the maximum fine for a Class C misdemeanor is \$50 and the maximum for a Class B misdemeanor is \$500. The amount of increase cannot be determined but is estimated to be not significant.

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

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James A. Davenport, Executive Director